

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/692,637  
Filing Date : October 24, 2003  
Applicant : Michael Liebler-Ranzus  
Title : Spacer for a Fuel Assembly of a Boiling  
Water Reactor  
TC/AU : 3663  
Examiner : Alexandra F. Awai  
Customer No. : 24131

AMENDMENT under 37 CFR § 1.116

Mail Stop **BOX AF** Amendment  
Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

S i r :

Responsive to the Office action dated March 2, 2006, kindly  
amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of  
claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.